RESOLUTION NO. 2021-38-CM

CREATING A NEW FUND FOR THE RECEIPT OF FUNDING FROM THE INDIANA PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS COUNCIL AS AUTHORIZED BY THE INDIANA GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN 2021

WHEREAS, the Indiana General Assembly passed House Enrolled Act 1082 (2021) which was signed by the Governor and which became Public Law 2021-16; and

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WHEREAS, Public Law 2021-16 allows for the establishment and funding of High Tech Crimes Units; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Tippecanoe County Prosecuting Attorney has been duly selected to operate a High Tech Crimes Unit; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to establish a new fund in the Tippecanoe County Auditor's Office into which the High Tech Crimes Unit funds are to be deposited;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF TIPPECANOE COUNTY, INDIANA THAT:

- 1. There is created a new fund with the Auditor's Office that shall be entitled "High Tech Crimes Unit Fund." The funds within the High Tech Crimes Unit Fund shall be non-reverting.
- 2. The purpose of the funds is to be used for only the following reasons as set forth in Indiana Code § 33-39-8-7:
 - A. To enhance the ability of the Tippecanoe, Benton, Boone, Carroll, Cass, Clinton, Howard, Jasper, Miami, Montgomery, Newton, Tipton, Warren, and White County Prosecuting Attorneys in investigating, collecting evidence, and prosecuting high tech crime;
 - B. To provide personnel costs, training technical assistance, and technical support to the Office of the Tippecanoe County Prosecuting Attorney's High Tech Crimes Unit;
- 3. The funds shall be appropriated by the County's fiscal body before use.
- 4. All expenditure of funds shall be approved by the Office of the Tippecanoe County Prosecuting Attorney with any and all claims to be paid from the County's High Tech Crimes Unit Fund.
- 5. Any unused funds shall be paid back to the Indiana State Treasury when required.

- 6. The Auditor shall keep accurate and complete financial records of the receipt and expenditure of any and all funds deposited and paid from the High Tech Crimes Unit Fund.
- 7. Interest on money in the High Tech Crimes Unit Fund shall be retained by the fund.

Dated this 15th day of Nivember, 2021.

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